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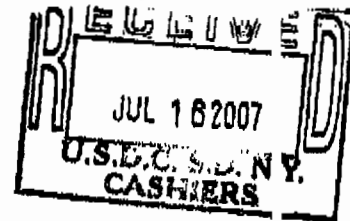
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SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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BROOKS, HOUGHTON SECURITIES, INC.,  
GERALD HOUGHTON, KEVIN CENTOFANTI  
AND HIROSHI YOSHIDA,

No. 07 CV 6275

*Petitioners,*

-against-

LIFE PARTNERS HOLDINGS, NC.,

*Respondent.*  
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**AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE  
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STATE OF NEW YORK )  
COUNTY OF NEW YORK ) ss.:

**DANIEL J. BROWN**, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

That I am over 18 years of age, not a party to this action, and reside in New York,  
New York.

That on July 10, 2007, at approximately 4:00 p.m. I served the within Order to  
Show Cause dated July 10, 2007; Affidavit of Daniel J. Brown, sworn to on July 10, 2007; and  
Memorandum of Law In Support of Petition to Compel Arbitration upon the following person(s)  
by transmitting said document via Telefacsimile (facsimile confirmation annexed hereto):

That on July 10, 2007, I served the within Order to Show Cause dated July 10,  
2007; Affidavit of Daniel J. Brown, sworn to on July 10, 2007; and Memorandum of Law In  
Support of Petition to Compel Arbitration **via Federal Express** by depositing same in a properly  
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Life Partners Holdings, Inc.  
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DANIEL J. BROWN

Sworn to before me this  
11<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2007

  
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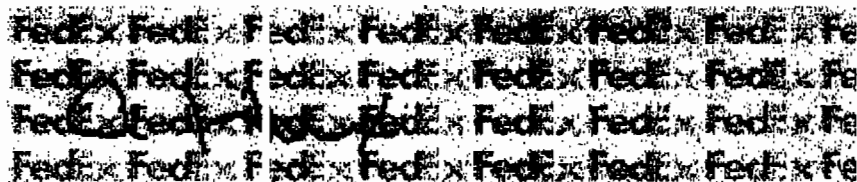
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